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MEDIA RELEASE

\$200,000 Bail for Vendor Charged with Sexual Penetration of Girl, 15

A 32-year-old man was granted bail in the sum of \$200,000 with a surety when he appeared virtually before Magistrate Adrian Darmani at the Chaguanas Magistrates' Court yesterday, charged with one count of sexual penetration of a child and one count of sexual touching of a child.

As part of his bail conditions the man is to have no contact with the minor, report weekly to the Freeport Police Station and he was placed on a curfew from 10 pm to 5 am.

The accused is expected to reappear on January 5th, 2022.

According to a police report, a relative of the minor stated that on November 3rd, while she was at home, she made checks for her daughter and allegedly observed a man engaged in sexual acts with the girl.

WPC Natalie Baptiste of the Child Protection Unit, Central Division conducted an investigation into the matter which resulted in the arrest and charge of a Chaguanas market vendor.

Investigations were supervised by W/Supt (Ag.) Claire Guy- Alleyne, ASP (Ag) Roberts. Insp(Ag) Charles W/Sgt.(Ag.) Hospedales, Sgt (Ag.) Jairam of the Child Protection Unit.

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